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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Registration Department – Smt.M.Parvathi, former Sub-Registrar, SRO, Narasipatnam, Visakhapatanam District – Trapped on 23-2-2006 - Request for Regularization of suspension period from 24.02.2006 to 14.05.2008 as duty – Request - Rejected - Orders - Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1133

Dated:07.12.2023.
Read the following:

1) APSWAN Message from DSP, ACB, Visakhapatnam dt:23-2-2006.
2) DG, ACB Lr.Rc.No.40/RCT-WVP/2006-S11, dt:7-8-2006
3) G.O.Ms.No.1648, Rev.Vig (VI) Deptt., dt:9-11-2006.
4) G.O.Ms.No.1649, Rev.Vig (VI) Deptt., dt:9-11-2006.
5) Govt., Memo.No.11549/Vig.VI(1)/2006-2, dt:21-11-2006.
6) DIG, R&S, Visakhapatnam Procs.No.E1/307/2006, dt:20-2-2007.
7) DIG, R&S, Visakhapatnam Procs.No.E1/307/2006, dt:12-2-2009.
8) DG, ACB Lr.Rc.No.40/RCT-WVP/2006-S11, dt:07-01-2012 along with Judgment of III Addl., District and Sessions Judge cum Spl.Judge for ACB cases, Visakhapatnam dt:20-10-2011 in CC.No.65/2006.
9) Govt. Memo No. 3812/Vig.VI(1)/2012-1, dt.08.06.2012.
10) Govt. memo no. REV01-REGS0CIRV(ACBC)/7/2019-VIG-II, dt:28.10.2021.
11) Representation of Smt.M.Parvathi, DR (MV&A), Eluru, dt.05.10.2023.

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ORDER:

It was brought to the notice of the Government that Smt. M.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar (AO-1) and Sri M.Lakshmana Rao, former Attender (AO-2), O/o. Sub Registrar, Narasipatnam, Visakhapatnam were trapped by ACB on 23- 02-2006 on corruption charges. Smt. M.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar was placed under suspension from 24.02.2006 by the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Visakhapatnam vide proceedings dt:25.02.2006 and she was re-instated into service vide Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Visakhapatnam proceedings dt:12.05.2008.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau has submitted final report and stating that the allegations are sustained and recommended to accord sanction to prosecute both the Accused Officers in a court of law and initiate Departmental action against Smt. M.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar (AO-1), for violation of conduct rules. Government after examining the final report of the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, have accepted the recommendations of the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau and accorded sanction to prosecute Smt. M.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar in ACB Court vide G.O. 3rd read above.

3. In respect of departmental action, departmental proceedings were initiated by the disciplinary authority against Smt. M.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar vide proceedings 6th read above. And after following due procedure, the Disciplinary Authority has imposed punishment of stoppage of three annual grade increments with cumulative effect against Smt.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar vide proceedings 7th read above. Further, on Revision petition, Government after examining the matter, have reduced the penalty to that of stoppage of one (1) Annual Grade Increment with cumulative effect against Smt.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar vide reference 10th read above.

4. The III Additional District and Sessions Judge cum Special Judge for Anti Corruption Bureau cases, Visakhapatnam in judgement dt:20-10-2011 in CC.No.65/2006 acquitted Accused Officers Smt. M.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar

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(AO-1) and Sri M.Lakshmana Rao, former Attender (AO-2), O/o. Sub Registrar, Narasipatnam, Visakhapatnam. The DG, ACB vide reference 8th read above, while enclosing the copy of Judgment of III Additional District and Sessions Judge cum Special Judge for ACB cases, Visakhapatnam dt:20-10-2011 in CC.No.65/2006 and while furnishing the opinion of the Legal Adviser Cum Spl. Public Prosecutor, has requested to permit the Bureau to prefer an appeal in the High Court of AP, against the acquittal Judgment of trial court. Government after examination of the matter have permitted the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau to file appeal against the judgment of the ACB court in C.C.No. 65/2006, dt. 20.10.2011 vide reference 9th read above.

5. Smt. M.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar presently working as District Registrar (MV&A), Eluru vide reference 11th read above has stated that ACB trap case filed against her while she was working as Sub Registrar, Narasipatnam, Visakhapatnam in C.C.No. 65/2006 and she was acquitted on 20.10.2011 by the Special Judge for ACB cases, Visakhapatnam. Hence, she requested the Government to regularize the suspension period from 24.02.2006 to 14.05.2008.

6. Government after careful examination of the matter have observed that since, the Accused Officer involved in a prima facie case of bribery, it can't be said that the suspension was unjustified. Further, she was awarded with a penalty of stoppage of one increment with cumulative effect on the proved charges of violation of conduct rules. Hence, the suspension period of the individual has to be treated as "not on duty" under F.R.54 B (5) & (7).

7. Accordingly, Government hereby order to regularize the suspension period in respect of Smt. M.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar presently working as District Registrar (MV&A), Eluru from 24.02.2006 to 14.05.2008 as "Not on Duty" under FR 54 (B) (5) & (7) of Fundamental Rules.

8. The Commissioner & Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Vijayawada shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Smt. M.Parvathi, former Sub Registrar presently working as DR (MV&A), Eluru
*(**Through** the Commissioner & Inspector General (Registration & Stamps), A.P., Tadepalli, Guntur District)*
The Commissioner & Inspector General (Registration & Stamps), A.P., Tadepalli, Guntur District.
The Deputy Inspector General (Registration & Stamps), Eluru.
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SECTION OFFICER